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Title : **CONNECTOR DEVICE FOR THE**
: **DETACHABLE CONNECTION OF AT LEAST**
: **ONE LIGHT WAVEGUIDE TO AT LEAST**
: **ONE OPTOELECTRONIC COMPONENT**
: **AND METHOD FOR ASSEMBLY OF SUCH**
: **A CONNECTOR DEVICE**
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.